



WASTE TIRE TRANSPORTER & GENERATOR LICENSE SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION

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Who Needs a License?

Any person or business which generates or transports waste tires must obtain this license.

Waste Tire means any tire which is worn (less than 2/32 inch tread depth anywhere along a major tread groove), defective, damaged (cut or snagged tread, exposed body cords, bumps, knots, bulges or separated sidewall) or is not fit for use upon a public way, or any new or used tire that is destined for a tire disposer or tire reprocessor.

Waste Tire Generator means any person or business which generates or removes 25 or more waste tires per calendar year. This includes, but is not limited to, the following:

- Any person or business engaged in the sale and mounting of new, used or remanufactured automobile, truck and equipment tires which receives waste tires in the associated exchange process.
- Any person or business which requires or allows customers to take waste tires.

Waste Tire Transporter means any person or business which does any of the following:

- Transports more than 5 waste tires on the public way.
- Transports waste tires for a waste tire generator, regardless of the number of tires.

Tire Disposer means a business which disposes of or converts tires to another purpose, including, but not limited to, the following activities:

- Burning or disposing of tires as waste or fuel.
- Reducing tires into basic components for oil, steel, carbon black, rubber, road paving or other marketable salvage materials by shredding, grinding, chemical treatment or other means.

Tire Reprocessor means a business which regrooves, recaps, retreads or otherwise remanufactures waste tires.

Exceptions:

- Vehicles containing 5 or fewer waste tires that are not hauling waste tires for a waste generator.
- Vehicles which originate outside the city and are designated for transport outside the city, provided no waste tires are loaded or unloaded in the city.
- Fleet owners that take their vehicles to an outside tire vendor's facility for service. (In this case, the tire vendor is considered the waste tire generator).

License Period

License will expire 1 year from date of issuance

Application

Submit the following items:

- Applicable Fee(s):
Waste Tire Generator License \$250
Waste Tire Transporter License \$140 for the first vehicle/\$35 for each additional vehicle
- Business License Application (ccl-busapp)
- Business License Plan of Operation (busplan)
- Copies of current state vehicle registration for each vehicle that will be used to transport waste tires.

Requirements

See the "Business License Information" sheet for a list of requirements that must be met by all business license applicants.

Regulations

- Milwaukee Code of Ordinances 84-48
- www.milwaukee.gov/cityclerk/ordinances